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Didsbury's Silver Wolf

On Tuesday night Joyce Mullen received the Silver Wolf Award from Scouts Canada. This is the highest award presented to anyone without going international. Mullen has been volunteering for the Scouts for over 65 years.

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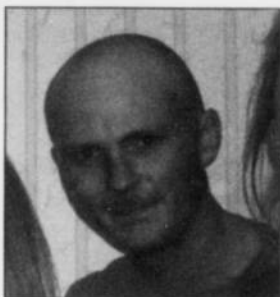


Train collision kills Didsbury man

by Carla Victor

A 27-year-old Didsbury man died when his vehicle collided with a northbound train, at an uncontrolled crossing just outside of Didsbury, June 4, at 3 a.m.

Sgt. O'Dwyer, Didsbury RCMP, said Ryan Pothier hit the 27th car of a 115-car train while driving his 1996 Pontiac Grand Prix.



Ryan Pothier

Weather conditions were reported to be foggy at the time of the incident.

Although the speed Pothier was travelling at has not been determined, CP Rail officials said train speed was not a factor.

"The train was travelling at a speed of (slightly under 16 km/h) as it was switching from a secondary line onto the Red Deer main line," said Ed Greenburg, manager public affairs for CP Rail, adding track speed in that area is 16 km/h.

"The (vehicle) collided with the side of the rail car and bounced

off it, away from the tracks. It happened very quickly. Train speed was not a factor," said Greenburg. "Our initial investigation shows the train was operating appropriately."

Incidentally, the train continued its course towards Red Deer as the crew was unaware there had been any collision.

RCMP said a passerby who came upon the scene reported a damaged car near the tracks at 3:19 a.m. RCMP then notified the CP Rail network management centre in Calgary who informed crews to stop the train.

"Our crew immediately brought the train to a stop and investigated, learning the 27th car had been contacted," said Greenburg.

Sgt. O'Dwyer said the train was near Bowden by the time it was stopped.

"CP Rail thoughts and prayers are going out to the family and friends of the deceased. Although the crew was not aware of the situation at first, once they learned of it they were quite concerned," said Greenburg. "The crew has been offered support services if they require them."

As a result of the collision a seam on the side of the train car was ripped, leaking a small amount of sulphur which trailed the train until it was brought to a complete stop.

Greenburg said the incident closed that line of tracks for a short time, until the spill was cleaned up. It reopened later the same day.

RCMP and CP Rail continue the investigation.

Town of Didsbury to send out replacement tax notices

Residents of the Town of Didsbury will be receiving replacement tax notices next week, due to an error in calculating the Alberta Education portion of the 2005 tax rate. This error, unfortunately, was missed prior to the 2005 notices being mailed out last week.

When the Alberta Education levy was calculated during the budgeting process, the 2004 assessment totals were used instead of the 2005 totals. This inaccuracy sees, for example, homes assessed at \$100,000 being overcharged \$23.60 on their 2005 tax notices and commercial properties assessed at \$250,000 being overcharged \$102.75.

Any residents who have already paid their 2005 taxes

will be issued a cheque from the Town of Didsbury in reimbursement for the overpayment amount. Residents should see their refund cheques by the end of June 2005.

Normally payment of property taxes is due in full by June 30 each year, unless you're on the Town of Didsbury's monthly tax payment plan. Because of this oversight, the deadline for payment has now been extended until July 5, 2005.

The Town of Didsbury apologizes for this error and assures the residents of Didsbury that we are working as quickly as possible to rectify this mistake.

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NEWS



Bike Safety

Ross Ford students learned all about bike safety last week, when the Didsbury RCMP and Didsbury Health Services both gave presentations to the students about the importance of wearing a helmet and road regulations while on a bike. Students were then asked to line up so their helmets could be checked for safety.

-photos by Tamara Collins



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Attention Parents!!

Didsbury FCSS is hosting a community meeting on June 15, 2005 @ 7:30pm in the Ross Ford Conference Room. This meeting is to discuss the possibility of establishing a before/after school childcare program in Didsbury. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

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RDCRD awaits funds for Holy Trinity Catholic School

by Tamara Collins

The waiting has begun for the Red Deer Catholic Regional Division (RDCRD) as they anticipate the decision of the Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation Lyle Oberg, if they will have funding for the construction of the new Catholic School to be built in Olds.

This new school is a result of both Olds and Didsbury Catholic residents electing to have the RDCRD expand into the towns, with the new Catholic school to be built in Olds and Didsbury students to be bused there.

Oberg will make his decision in consultation with the Minister of Education, Gene Zwozdesky, and Olds/Didsbury MLA Richard Marz. The government is under a tight budget right now for new school buildings.

The new school which has recently been named Holy Trinity Catholic School, was supposed to open in September 2006, but now for that to happen the RDCRD would need a decision from Oberg right away.

"For the school to open in September of 06, we would require some quick action from the government," said Gord Bontje, RDCRD chair. "We met with Lyle and tried to oppress upon him that this money was needed. We are still hoping the school will open in September 06, but the government will have to act fast."

Officials in the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transportation have suggested that it might be possible for the school to open in September 2006 on the permanent site, in portable classrooms while the permanent school is under construction. The permanent school will include things like gymnasium, library and a chapel.

Holy Trinity is expected to cost between five and seven million dollars to construct. The name came from a list of names that was provided to RDCRD from St. Andrews parish. RDCRD decided Holy Trinity was the best suited one.

While waiting to get approval for the funds, RDCRD received good news when Ernie and Marion Kasawal of Olds agreed to donate their land for the new school. The land is located at the west end of Olds.

"This is all very exciting for us," said Bontje. "We have already had a lot of parents committed to sending their children to Holy Trinity when it opens. Our challenge right now is convincing the provincial government that they should immediately allocate capital dollars to construct Holy Trinity."



Recognition

At this past week's Town Council meeting Brenda Hemming, Director of Corporate Services of the Town, was presented with a card from mayor Dorothy Moore, on behalf of council, congratulating her on receiving her Certified Local Government Manager (CLGM) Certification at the Local Government Administrative Association Summit in May.

-photo by Tamara Collins

NRCB turns down requests for Board review

by Shaune Mohl

Residents that live around a controversial feedlot east of Didsbury will have to apply to take their case back to the Alberta Court of Appeals if they want to continue their battle, after the Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) have turned down their requests for a Board review on their recent approval of AAA Cattle Company's application.

The application, just approved weeks ago, allows the intensive feedlot operation to expand to 18,200 head of cattle. The approval came from the NRCB's approval's officer, however, residents and the Committee for Lone Pine requested that the matter be brought before the Board as a whole, to review the approvals officer decision.

Letters submitted to the NRCB requesting a review of the approval were presented to the NRCB Board as a whole, on May 25; however, the Board felt the grounds for a review were not sufficient.

In considering requests for Board review, it is important that the Board examine the grounds for review, as identified by the requesting parties. The onus rests with a requesting party to identify sufficient grounds to merit the Board's granting of a Review. If sufficient grounds are raised to merit a review, the Board then looks to each of the issues raised to determine the scope of the review. In considering the filed Requests for Board Review in this instance, the Board determined that the grounds identified were insufficient to warrant a review. Marianne Wright, Review Officer for the NRCB wrote in a letter dated May 27, to those that applied for a Board Review.

The Committee for Lone Pine's Chairman Murray Marsh says he wasn't surprised at the Board's decision to turn down their request, but says they will continue to fight to protect the environment and ensure the safety of the residents in the area.

"We are not totally surprised. We submitted the review request as part of formality. The window for that (is limited). Beyond that it's something you can't ask for anymore," Marsh said.

Marsh says his committee doesn't believe that the longevity of the water supply in the area or the safety of water is being protected, and says that the NRCB should for once hold off on getting paper work pushed through, and make the safety of the environment their number one concern.

"We are going to stand to do the most we can to make sure the water is assured and the quality of it and the quantity of it. And, we still think we have sound evidence that says it's very questionable," he said.

Marsh, in the past, has been quoted as explaining that 18,200 head of cattle would use the same amount of water daily as that of the Town of Carstairs.

Marsh says he has concerns about ground water being contaminated with different bacteria, such as E.Coli, which he says have been detected in area wells in the past.

"In light of the fact that they are still monitoring and testing the ground water wells and that there are issues with E.Coli, (even after) the decision," Marsh said. "Why should approval be given before the conditions are met? When by track record conditions sometimes aren't met three and four years after the fact."

Marsh was referring to a

letter dated May 22, which pointed out that E.Coli had been found in a water sample taken from a water-sampling well located at the feed lot.

However, Simon Cobban, co-owner of AAA Cattle Company, says that the May 22 letter pointed out that the water sample could be contaminated and that the NRCB was going to come out and do another sample to ensure there was no E.Coli found.

"I will be resampling the well on May 27, 2005 and I will be taking extra precautions to ensure there is no external contamination during sampling. I suspect this might be what occurred during the last round of sampling (which caused E.Coli to be found in the sampling)," said the letter, signed by Jim McKinley, NRCB Inspector. "Overall the test results indicated that the feedlot is not having any measurable impact on the groundwater."

According to Cobban the test results from May 27 have been faxed to him, and he says that there was no E.Coli found, and that the first sample was contaminated.

Marsh says that the Committee for Lone Pine hasn't decided whether or not they will try to take their case back to the Court of Appeals, who once quashed an approval for AAA Cattle Company given to them by the NRCB.

"We are looking at it to see if there would be opportunity to go before a judge to see if there might be a Court of Appeal issue in terms that the NRCB hasn't followed the legislation. We don't have an answer for sure, yet but we are seeing if it's viable."

Since this seems to be the same circle that the Committee for Lone Pine has gone down before, Marsh

was asked what he and other local residents would be happy with.

Marsh said that he or other residents will never support such a large feed lot operation, and he says that since AAA Cattle Company originally applied for a feedlot of 2,500 head and have grown so quickly, that a lot of trust has been lost.

"If they were operating a 5,000 head facility and in two or three years time, there appeared to be no impact to other wells and they had established a track record of reporting what they are suppose to be reporting then there could be some acceptance of that number," Marsh said.

Cobban says he is relieved that the Board turned down the request for a Board review, saying that he feels this proves he has followed the law and that his feedlot is safe and will not harm the local environment or affect the water supply, despite what his neighbours are still saying.

"Of course we are pleased to see that the Board has upheld the approval officer's decision. They have stood behind the extensive and in depth investigation conducted by the Approval Officer as to the safety of our operation and agreed with the results that our feedlot does not pose a risk to the community, neighbors or environment," Cobban said. "We can finally operate our family farm without the cloud of doubt hanging over our head and fulfill our commitment to our community to operate a safe feedlot. One that the surrounding community will benefit from," Cobban said.

Cobban says that he currently still only has about 5,500 head of cattle on-hand, but in the weeks to come plans to move in more cattle and start getting his numbers up to what he has been approved for 18,200 head.

OPINIONS EDITORIAL

Five months to go...



TAMARA COLLINS
EDITORIAL

This Centennial year is passing along quickly, with only five months to go before September hits and the real celebrations start.

It seems that everyone has gotten involved in Centennial in one way or another. Everywhere you go in the province you hear about this Centennial event, or this Centennial monument, and it is exciting.

If you are looking for a Centennial event to attend, you do not have to look far, because they are everywhere.

Last week at Town council they passed a motion to put some Centennial grant money towards a walking trail, and it will be called 'Centennial Trail'. I think that has a wonderful ring to it, and that Didsbury definitely needs some good walking trails. More details on this are to come.

The Tea Cozy in Didsbury will be hosting a Centennial Art Fair Celebration on June 11th, and this sounds like it will be a great time. For more details see this week's FACES column.

Of course the big event you will not want to miss this summer is the Canada Day celebrations at Memorial Park. In honor of Centennial the events will start in the evening and go until the fireworks display. Local talent will be showcased on a talent stage, so let's see what Didsburians can do.

As Didsbury continues to celebrate this Centennial year stayed tuned in to the Didsbury Review for our special Centennial section that runs once a month, ending in September.



Wonderings of the heart

by Margaret Fradley

"Another blooper"

Last month I wrote regarding my shopping experience with my husband, how he goes about with the shopping cart, while I seem to gather heavy armfuls of groceries and then try to locate him in the store, and from there continuing to make matters worse. I received a lot of calls from those relating to this incident and many who had good laughs about the whole story.

One such response, however, needs to be related; the lady who shared with me, has a friend, who when she was out with her husband, returned to her car, after having completed some necessary shopping, then asked if they should continue on to get groceries, or whatever it happened to be, and only then noticed she had got into the wrong automobile. Now try getting out of that one!!

This made me feel so good, not that I was happy that someone had such an embarrassing experience, but that it did not only happen to me. That was consoling. And would you not all agree with me, that this topped even my experience.

It is always encouraging and fun to have you respond to my articles. I have noticed that you love stories, not only of my grandchildren, but when I make a blunder. I could probably write a book on those!! Have a great day.

MLA COLUMN

Protecting yourself from fraud

More than 6,000 seniors fall victim to scammers and con artists every year in Alberta. Investment schemes are among the most common and most costly forms of fraud.

Seniors are often targeted because they grew up in an environment of mutual trust and respect for their friends and co-workers.

Often, a handshake was good enough to settle a deal and a person's word was all you needed. Fraud artists take advantage of this trust and lure people into a variety of investment schemes.

Some steps you can take to protect yourself from fraud include:

- Confirm who you're dealing with. Don't deal with anyone who won't give you their background and provide independent references and professional credentials.
- Ask about licensing or registration. Investment dealers must be licensed with the Alberta Securities Commission. The Commission can tell you whether a dealer has been

convicted of breaches of professional standards.

- Educate yourself and stick to your investment plan. Read and understand the documentation about your potential investment.

- Compare fees and promised returns. Remember, if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

- Be wary of sending or transferring cash over the Internet or by mail. This can make it difficult to recover your money in the case of fraud.

- Read carefully any contract or agreement before signing. Make sure that the terms are clear.

- Protect your information. Always ask why someone needs information before providing personal details. Don't give financial or credit information over the phone or Internet unless you know who you are dealing with.

- If you suspect fraudulent behaviour, report it.

For more information about how to protect yourself from fraud, contact the following

organizations:

The Alberta Securities Commission

The Commission can confirm the registration of investment dealers and take complaints about an investment dealer. The Commission also has investor education resources available through their website at www.albertasecurities.com or by calling 1 (877) 335-0585.

Alberta Seniors and Community Supports

Seniors Programs and Services Information Guide is a comprehensive guide to programs available for seniors in Alberta. Call the Seniors Information Line toll-free at 1 (800) 642-3853 to get a copy.

Alberta Government Services

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FROM THE MAILBAG

Government mistakes issues protest

Letter to the Editor,

Because our country is being torn apart, I feel compelled to register a protest. The following is a partial list of government (mostly Liberal) mistakes and misguided decisions and outright fraud.

We live in a country rich in resources, only 30 million people and a federal debt of \$501 Billion. This is in itself demonstrates bad government.

The last 3 Prime Ministers have shown their disdain for the west. Trudeau with his infamous wave at Sicamous, Chretien's quote "It's just a few million dollars" and Martin's lies when interviewing Strongic and sug-

gested her move had nothing to do with numbers.

We have the highest taxes among G8 countries.

We have little or no army and a depleted R.C.M.P.

The judicial system allows criminals back on the street. One example in Calgary, a raid on a residence caught several people with guns, knives and hard drugs. Two days later, the same people were caught in the same house with fresh guns and knives and hard drugs. Your kids and grandchildren are exposed to this.

Immigration department

is sloppy and has allowed people in who have been deported once before. And in one case, a second time.

Unable to negotiate with the U.S. and other countries because of lack of respect for our representatives.

Gun control is a disaster. 1,930,000 guns registered at a cost of over \$1,000 per unit was unnecessary and accomplished nothing.

We have signed for Kyoto with no idea of cost and should it be handled as inefficiently as the gun control, balanced budgets would disappear and we

would no doubt go bankrupt.

I ask Canadians to stand up and be heard and demand better! Should we not take

action we will find more unrest and demand for separation.

A. Clem Betton

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Interested parties may acquire information or arrange for a viewing appointment by calling Herman de Wolde (403-227-0145), Capital Projects Coordinator, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW COUNTY PUBLIC HEARINGS NOTICE

The Council of Mountain View County proposes to pass a bylaw to amend Land Use Bylaw No. 55/95 in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Government Act.

The proposed amendment is as follows:

Bylaw No. 26/05: County Airport District "AP (C)". The purpose of this bylaw is to add a new land use district to the Land Use Bylaw in order to establish regulations for subdivision and development on lands at or adjacent to airports located within the County. The new district includes a list of permitted and discretionary uses, site requirements, development standards, and regulations.

At 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 15, 2005, the Council will hold a public hearing regarding the above Land Use Bylaw amendment to be held in the Council Chambers, Didsbury, Alberta.

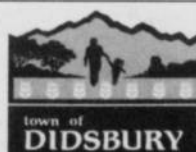
Any person or persons presenting their views to the Council of Mountain View County at the Public Hearing to be held in connection with the proposed amendment to the Land Use Bylaw shall state their name, location of residence and whether they are speaking on their own behalf or for a group. Presentations are limited to five minutes; a request for additional time may be made. Only one presentation per person or group is allowed, with the exception of the applicant.

Any person or persons wishing to submit their views in writing to the Council may do so provided the statement reaches the County Office, Didsbury, Alberta, not later than 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, June 13, 2005. All letters must contain the address of the writer(s).

A copy of the above Land Use Bylaw amendment may be inspected at the County Office at 1601 - 15th Avenue, Didsbury, Alberta between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, excepting statutory holidays. Anyone wishing to see a copy of our public hearing procedures may contact the County Office.

Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 27th day of May 2005.

HAROLD JOHNSRUDE
County Commissioner



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PUBLIC MEETINGS & NOTICES

SPECIAL NOTE

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE NOW HELD
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TOWN COUNCIL:

June 14, 2005 - Council Chambers, 7:00 pm

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:

June 7 and 21, 2005 - Council Chambers, 7:00 pm

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wednesday, June 15, 2005 - Council Chambers, 4:30 pm

DIDSBURY LIFELINE SOCIETY:

Monday, June 13, 2005 - Council Chambers, 10:00 am

Chamber of Commerce, Didsbury's event planners



Didsbury & District Chamber Council for 2005 - 2006

Left to right: Margo Ward, Penny Lind (Past President), Scott Puttick (Vice-President), Ron Boyko, Joanne Braun (President), Greg Poirier, Mayor Dorothy Moore, Vern Good, Kathleen Windsor, Judy Cummings, Alison Logie

by Tamara Collins

As things in Didsbury start to settle down for the summer, the Didsbury Chamber of Commerce is just getting heated up.

On June 9, the Chamber will host their annual Spring Steak BBQ at the Train Station starting at 6 p.m. with hopes of recruiting some new members, and letting those standing members know what's going on in Didsbury.

"This is a great opportunity for the business community to network and become aware of what the Chamber is working on," said Bill Windsor, office manager. "The idea of the BBQ is to recognize and reward our members and to attract new members."

At this BBQ the Chamber will also unveil their new calendar of events, which they are hoping will eventually become a community calendar of events where all Didsbury service groups can post their events, but that will not be ratified until June's meeting.

Everyone who would like to attend is asked to RSVP by calling

335-3265, and everyone is also requested to bring their own lawn chair.

"There is lots going on in town and all Chamber members get the benefit of our newsletter, which keeps everyone up to date on these things and shows them how we help promote the businesses in the community," said Windsor.

In the middle of July the Chamber will have a Strategic Planning Session, and they will identify their mission and goals.

"Historically we have been event planners, and we want to find out from the businesses if this is what they want our Chamber to be, or that and more, or something different completely," said Windsor. The Chamber is also planning to take an active role in the committee that is to be established to hopefully determine the Didsbury theme.

In the mean time the Chamber is busy planning upcoming events such as the 1st annual Rosebud Dogsled Classic, which will take place in Didsbury during the month of January.

"Alberta Tourism

will in time refer to this event as a destination event that will attract thousands of people to town that weekend," said Windsor.

With the overwhelming success of this year's Trade Show, the Chamber is already working on bigger and better things for next year.

The Chamber has also put in an application for a central booth in Didsbury where people can read announcements, and also view all the upcoming events.

Another thing the Chamber has taken on is a pancake breakfast on the Sunday of the Rodeo weekend, at the Train Station from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

"We are really busy right now working on all the different things, we have a lot going on," said Windsor. "Also don't forget we are the visitor information station in town, come in and see us."



photo by Tamara Collins

Georgina Daub, Eunice Gole, Jean Freeman, Gloria Sinclair, Nell Freeman, Chris Elliot, Jessie Nelson, Dolores Walls, Evelyn Milne, Norma Vipond, Lois Wright are the Didsbury and District Senior Support Services, and they have been announced as one of the five nominees for selection for the 2005 Minister's Seniors Service Award.

Didsbury and District Senior Support Services

The Senior Support Services are pleased to announce that Minister Yvonne Fritz, Alberta Seniors and Community Supports has presented our organization with a commemorative certificate. This is a recognition from the Office of the Minister for our nomination for the 2005 Minister's Seniors Service Award. This year, the Nomination Review Committee and Minister Fritz had 90 worthy nominees to consider, and our Didsbury Senior Support Services are one of the five nominees for selection for the 2005 Minister's Seniors Service Award. In addition to dedicated volunteerism, the Minister's Seniors Service Awards also pays close attention to programs and services throughout their respective communities. From wellness programs to visitation services that enable seniors to remain connected to the community, the ability to take a program and adapt it to

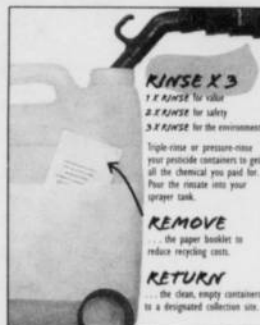
the community is one of the attributes that makes this awards program so vital. Since 1998, the Government of Alberta has honoured 32 individuals and organizations that make a difference in the lives of sen-

iors. We are most appreciative to mayor Dorothy Moore and Didsbury Chamber of Commerce for nominating the Didsbury Senior Support Services for the Minister's Seniors Service Award.

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Neighborhood

Benefit concert for Taylors overwhelming success

by Tamara Collins

The Taylor family is closer than ever to seeing an end to the eye treatments they are going through to stop the further progression of Retinitis Pigmentosa, a disease Judy Taylor and her two sons suffer from, after a benefit concert was held in Didsbury and raised \$36,000.

On May 28th the Southern Gospel group Southern Presence performed two concerts at the Zion Church, drawing in 680 people in total.

"A huge thank you to all who attended," said organizer Linda Sirr. "It was a tremendous success. The group was very well received, and it was a nice, giving atmosphere. People really appreciate the Taylors and it really showed."

The money raised will help the Taylor's get three more treatments, but they will then have three more to go.

"We value the support of our amazing community and from the depths of our hearts want you to know just how much your encouragement has meant to us," said Judy.

This concert was made possible by Reimer Promotions, who brought the group to Didsbury.

"We have now completed three sets of 10 day eye treatments in Vancouver, in November, February and May, and each of us have already seen definite visual changes and improvements," said Judy. "Instead of the continual deterioration we were experiencing for years. Besides 40 days a year in Vancouver we have many trips to Calgary every six months for eye testing and changes of prescriptions. It is our hope that our family's background and medical information can be useful to speed up the finding of a cure for RP. Just

imagine how many people's vision could be saved for generations to come."

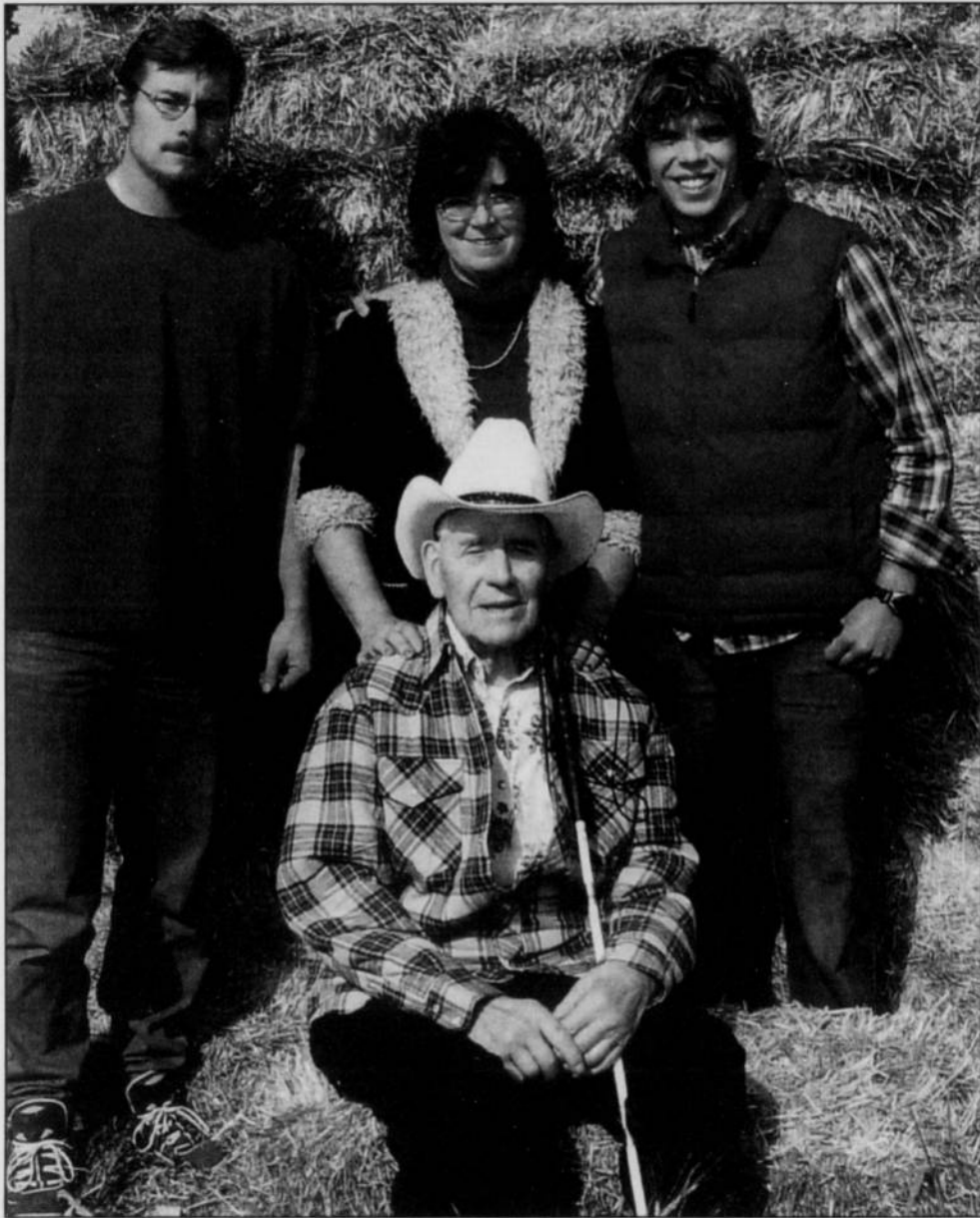
As the battle continues to raise the rest of the money needed to complete their

treatments, an account at the ATB will remain opened where people can donate to them. The name of the account is the Taylor Eye Treatment Fund, and you

can donate at any location.

"It was wonderful to bring the communities and churches together under one common purpose," said Sirr. "Gordy was angry at the

Health Care System for not covering these costs, so we did it the old fashioned way, and I think this was better. This is what this area really stands for, helping others."



The Taylor family received \$36,000 for their RP treatments at a benefit concert in Didsbury.

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NEIGHBORHOOD AROUND THE CIRCLE

3rd annual Bullriding Classic

by Marge St. Clair

The Didsbury & District Community Bus has the following trips coming up:

Wed. June 15 - Round trip starting in Torrington ending in Carbon for supper. Bring a picnic lunch. Bus leaves Complex at 9:30 a.m. (Money must be in by now).

Wed. June 22 - Cash Casino, bus leaves Complex at 10:00 a.m.

Fri. July 1 - Trochu Arboretum & Parade & more. Bring a bag lunch or buy there. Bus leaves Complex at 10:00 a.m.

Tues. July 12 - Annual trip to Calgary Stampede Seniors Day. Bus leaves Complex at 10:00 a.m. This bus trip is filling up fast so get your reservations in now.

Phone Bea 335-3058 or Gen 335-3449 to reserve your seat for any or all of these trips and all the details.

Tues. June 7
This is the registration deadline for a Red Cross Baby Sitting Course at the Didsbury Library on Fri. June 10. Call 335-7354 for all the details.

Wed. June 8
All 5-0 Club members and friends are invited to attend the wind up free BBQ from 4 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at the 5-0 Club.

Wed. June 8
The Didsbury Gunners Mens Slo Pitch team is off to a great start this season having lost only one game of the 8 played. Come & cheer them on every Wed. night at the south diamond west of Ross Ford School at 7:00 p.m.

Follow the Didsbury Mixed Slo Pitch League on Tues. & Thurs. nights on the same diamonds at 6:30 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

Thurs. June 9
From 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. in the Multi Purpose Room at the Complex, all seniors will be enjoying the Salute to the Centennial at the Garden Party Celebration. Fashion Show, Museum Exhibits, door prizes, refreshments and invited dignitaries. Free admission; this will conclude the Friends "n" Fun activities until mid Sept. - have a great summer.

Fri. June 10
This is the day to collect up all your Household Toxic Waste and take it to the Didsbury Town Shop from 4 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Sat. June 11
Gates will open at 6:00 p.m. for the 3rd Annual Bull riding Classic at the Ag Society's new Exhibition Grounds NW of Town. The Cabaret will follow about 9 p.m. with DJ music. Get your tickets this week June 6-11 at the Ag. Society office on Main Street. On Fri. June 10, the Ag Society is having a BBQ from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the office, phone is 335-4494 if you have any questions.

Tues. June 14
Please get your reservations for the Mountain View Christian Women's Club Breakfast from 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. by phoning Vickie at 335-3500 or Margie 335-3765. This is at the Redeemer Lutheran Church gym and free babysitting is supplied by the Women's Club. There is a Special Feature, speaker and music. This will be the last breakfast until Sept.

Tues. June 14
Starting at 6:30 p.m., there will be a double header at both diamonds for the mixed slo pitch: the Joe Dirts against the Slammers at 6:30 & 8:00 at the N diamond and Dirty

Mothers vs. the Crazy's at 6:30 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. at the south diamond.

Thurs. June 16 there is a double header at the N diamond only Raiders vs. Sun Devils. Wed. June 15, The Didsbury Gunners play the mens slo pitch team from Harmattan at 7:00 p.m. S. Diamond.

Thurs. June 16
Today is the day to register your child or children for the Summer Fun Day Camp program. This will be held from 5 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the Didsbury Aquatic Centre. More info by phoning Katie at 335-7354.

Sat. June 18
The Didsbury Mini Tykes Lacrosse Teams (ages 2-6 years) are having a Lacrosse Fun Day at the Arena in the Memorial Complex from 9:45 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Teams from Calgary and Red Deer will be attending. There will be a BBQ over the noon hour. All parents and others interested in Lacrosse are most welcome to attend.

Sat. June 18
If you are entering the Lions Club Soap Box Derby, please be there by 8:30 a.m., the races will start shortly after that. Adults remember, the accesses to Hwy 582 are closed from Reimers east. The Lions BBQ will be set up at Reimers Lot and they will be cooking from 10:30 a.m. so enjoy!

Happy Fathers Day to all.

Mon. June 20
The 5-0 Club will have a general meeting at the 5-0 Centre at 1:30 p.m. It is important that members attend, as there are business matters that must be attended to before the summer break!!

Tues. June 21
Dr. Nugent foot specialist will be at the 5-

0 Centre from 12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. No appointment necessary.

Tues. June 28
This is a reminder for you to stop in at Cut

& Loose Hair Parlor on 19th Ave. to pledge your support to Janice Lumley, who is having her head shaved at 10:00 a.m. to benefit

Breast Cancer Research and Equipment for Alberta Women.

Tax receipts will be issued for all donations.

Mountain View 4-H Heifer Show

A successful Mountain View 4-H District Heifer Show was held May 21, 2005 at the Olds, Cow Palace.

Show Officials:
Senior Conformation - Scott Severtson
Junior Conformation - Dean Arntzen
Senior Showmanship - Kelly Richardson
Intermediate Showmanship - Lindsey Good
Junior Showmanship - Stacey Hannah
Ringmen - Jonathan Dowell; Chris Israelson
Announcer - Matt Kumlin
Ribbon Presenters - Lauren Norsworthy; Stephanie Newberry; Katelyn Blankett
Photographer - Tracey Gardner
Chairman - Dave Foat
Stall Judge - Anonymous
Breed Awards:
Simmental Champion - Dayna Hadway - 2 yr. old, West Didsbury Club.
Simmental Reserve Champion - Sawyer Daley, yearling - West Carstairs Club.

Best Home Grown Simmental Yearling - Sawyer Daley, West Carstairs Club.

Other Purebreds Champion - A.J. McCoy, 2 yr. old, West Didsbury Club.

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Best Home Grown Yearling - A.J. McCoy, West Didsbury Club

Hereford Champion - Bonnie Anderson - 2 yr. old, Olds Club

Hereford Reserve Champion - Bonnie Anderson, Yearling, Olds Club

Best Home Grown Hereford Yearling - Bonnie Anderson

Commercial Champion - Kurstie French, 2 year old, Eagle Club

Commercial Reserve Champion - Pamela Willis, 2 yr. old, Eagle Club

Best Home Grown Commercial Yearling - Will Hadway, West Didsbury Club

Angus Champion - Jared Hunter - yearling - Prairie Partners Club

Angus Reserve Champion - Travis Hunter, yearling, Prairie Partners Club

Best Home Grown Yearling Heifer - Travis Hunter, Prairie Partners Club

Supreme Grand Champion - A.J. McCoy - 2 yr. old - West Didsbury Club

Reserve Supreme Grand Champion - Dayna Hadway - 2 yr. old - West Didsbury Club

Jr. Champion Showmanship - Sawyer Daley - West Carstairs Club

Jr. Reserve Showmanship - Tom Willis - Eagle Club

Intermediate Showmanship Champion - Dayna Hadway - West Didsbury

Reserve Intermediate Showmanship - Jared Foat - Cremona

Senior Showmanship Champion - A.J. Smith - West Carstairs

Senior Reserve Showmanship - Bonnie Anderson, Olds

Golden Fork Stall Award - Eagle Beef Club

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Volunteer Citizen of the Year Cash Award Nomination Deadline: June 30

Nominations are being sought for individuals or groups who make a significant contribution, as volunteers, to the communities in which they live.

The winning nominee will receive a \$1,000 cash prize from Direct Energy, while the winner's designated community organization/cause of choice will receive a \$5,000 cash donation.

The direct in the community - Volunteer Citizen of the Year Award is being presented by Direct Energy Marketing Limited and the Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association (AWNA).

Nomination forms and additional award program details can be found on the Direct Energy website at www.directenergy.com/media_relations/csr/, on the AWNA Web site at www.awna.com/news.htm, or are available for pickup at this newspaper's office.

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NEIGHBORHOOD

Backpacks and school supplies needed for children



Dona Chebeni received a backpack through Backpacks for Literacy last year.

by Tamara Collins

Every year children such as Dona Chebeni, who live in poor countries and have no supplies for school, are given backpacks filled with school supplies through Backpacks for Literacy, but there are still thousands of children who are left without.

Chebeni is seven years old and in grade 3. She received her backpack last year and she uses it to carry her books, pen, counting sticks, lunch and any other necessary supplies for school. Prior to getting her backpack, Chebeni used a paper bag to carry her few supplies, which she would end up losing on a daily basis. Since receiving her backpack she has not lost anything.

Last year 800 backpacks were shipped to Ghana

through Backpacks for Literacy, but this year's goal is to ship 1000 backpacks.

"A lot of people discard their school supplies at the end of the year, even when they are not fully used," said Eleanor McKenzie.

McKenzie, Backpacks for Literacy. "If they donate them, the supplies go to countries that have no supplies, and even have very little as far as furniture goes in the schools."

Backpacks for Literacy accepts both used and new backpacks, that must be in good shape with no holes, and all zippers and snaps must be working. You can fill the backpack with up to 10 pounds of school supplies including slates, pencils, pencil sharpeners, pencil crayons, pens, lined or blank paper, colored paper, exercise books with clean pages, duo-tangs, erasers and rulers.

You can drop your backpack off at Ross Ford School till the end of the

school year, or else you can contact Eleanor at 337-5818. Please include \$10 in each backpack for shipping costs.

"This is an on-going project throughout the year," said McKenzie. "Then we ship all the backpacks at once. These are mostly illiterate people learning, and this really raises their standard of living. Most people there barter, it is important for them to understand the currency."

According to McKenzie the Didsbury and Carstairs area has not caught on yet to the project, and they are getting much better response from other communities. McKenzie, who is from Carstairs, feels that people just need to become aware and catch onto the idea.

"This is a very important project, reading and writing is so important," said McKenzie. "I would really like to see the Didsbury and Carstairs area get more involved."

Chinook's Edge School Division No. 73 is now accepting applications for SUMMER SCHOOL

- Career High Outreach - Innisfail - 227-0141
Summer School Principal: Ian Hector
- Sylvan Lake Outreach/H.J. Cody - Sylvan Lake - 887-3239/887-0491
Summer School Principal: Rob Bichel
- Olds Outreach/Olds High School - Olds - 556-8606
Summer School Principal: Paul Biggen
- Sundre High School - Sundre - 638-4545
Summer School Principal: Chris Simpson

All core high school courses offered.
No charge for Chinook's Edge Students.
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All students currently enrolled in high school or who will be entering grade 10 in Sept. 2005 are eligible.

Applications are available at all Chinook's Edge High Schools

Tournaments

- **Open 8 Ball Tourney**
\$10 entry fee - June 18th
- **Open 9 Ball Tourney**
\$10 entry fee - June 25th
- **The Perfect Game (progressive)**
See store for details

Artist Of The Month

Whitney Fehr is a 17 year old, self-taught artist. She paints almost anything. Wildlife, pets, special occasions and even aquarium decorations are her specialties.

She paints on a number of mediums, including rocks, canvas boards and even wooden garden and yard stakes.

She has a web site if you would like to see some of her art at geocities.com/stoneygirl14/natureart.html or e-mail her at stoneygirl17@hotmail.com. Or phone her at 335-0086.

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AFTER: Al Bryant (left) is now walking and spent the last five summers traveling in his motor home and fishing. Clint Cornelius (right) holding Al's former braces.

Alberta man with MS is now walking!!

Al Bryant was born in Lethbridge 63 years ago. He presently lives in Airdrie, Alberta. He has spent the last five summers enjoying the things he used to do before he was diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis. He spent almost six years in a wheelchair with severe pain, chronic fatigue, diabetes and was taking 48 - 49 pills a day. You will enjoy his true story of struggle and victory. See Al Bryant's story on our web-site: www.ostrichoil.ca

In February of 1999 his care giver, Carol McIvor began applying Delalta Ostrich Oil all over his body. That very summer he was walking, working around his yard, traveling and fishing. In November 1999, Al was invited to tell his story at a Multiple Sclerosis Health Symposium in Vancouver. On November 9, 2002 in Edmonton, Carol McIvor was awarded the "Opal Award" for Alberta which is the Care Giver of the year for caring for an MS patient.

Come and hear Al tell his story!

Dennis Zazelchuk, who has MS is from Leduc and attended our Seminar in Camrose (November, 2003). Dennis suffered with chronic progressive MS and was failing quite quickly. He shuffled his way in with a cane. He started using the oil at that time and then attended a seminar we held in Leduc (March 2004). In Leduc, he walked in without using a cane and I could hardly recognize him. He helped me set up the sound system. Today he is able to mow the lawn and work in his yard. He is a different man, and because of his turn around I was invited to speak at the MS Society monthly meetings in Sherwood Park, St. Albert and Edmonton. Dennis was married the weekend of October 9, 2004. He volunteers at a gym, where in exchange he can use the equipment to work out. He also still runs and operates his own mobile DJ. company called Zaz's Party Tune, which he started in 1990.

Tracey Jewett of Devon, was diagnosed with MS in 1995. Tracey began using Delalta Ostrich Oil last March (2004) after a severe MS attack. She was unable to walk after the attack, and was forced to use a wheelchair. Although very skeptical, she started using the oil and not long after was able to walk without using the wheelchair and her cane which she had been using for three and a half years. Tracey has lost over 60 pounds since March which has increased her mobility making her much more active. Her outlook on life has changed dramatically and now has a boyfriend. Tracey's mother said that the oil saved her daughter's life and thanked me over and over. At the seminar you will see pictures of her change.

Bonnie Erickson, from Devon has severe rheumatoid arthritis in her joints and could not open her hands and also had trouble walking. She began using Delalta Ostrich Oil after our Seminar in Leduc (March 2004). She phoned shortly after she had started using the oil and said "the oil has changed her life." She can now open her hands and use them. Her toes now touch the floor and she can walk much better! Before she used to roll over in bed and wake herself up because of pain in her shoulders. Now, when she wakes up, there is something very different - there is no pain!

David Weich from Hanna suffers from C.M.T. (Charcot-Marie-Tooth, named after three doctors) C.M.T. is Peroneal Muscular Atrophy where David experiences spasms in his legs and arms and the muscles are weakened with atrophy. There is a lack of feeling with a loss of balance and fatigue. David started using Delalta Ostrich Oil the end of February, 2004. After the first week of using the oil, he noticed his acne cleared up. He has less spasms and more feeling in his feet. He can now bend his toes without experiencing severe pain and they seem to be coming back to normal position. David gave a progress report as to how he was improving at the Seminar we held in Hanna on April 15 and 16. He has now informed us that he does not need to use his braces.

Arnold from Abbotsford, formerly of Camrose was scheduled to have cataract surgery. Arnold phoned us on Sunday, May 16, 2004 to let us know he no longer required the scheduled cataract surgery. The doctor checked his eyes just before operating and told him the surgery was no longer necessary. Arnold puts Delalta Ostrich Oil on his face and around his eyes. The doctor mentioned to Arnold to keep on doing whatever he is doing.

Gladys from Bashaw has chronic progressive MS Gladys suffered immensely with pain and spasms. She started with Delalta Ostrich oil in December of 2003. It has relieved her pain and spasms and has recently been to her MS doctor who told her that her MS is now in remission. She is a very happy lady!

Vegreville lady with MS began walking without aids and reading again!

Marjorie has had Multiple Sclerosis for 23 years. She started using Delalta Ostrich Oil on March 28, 2003. Marjorie's mother gave her a complete body massage with the oil six times a day. She began walking without aids and her eye sight greatly improved. She read three books in two weeks and had not read in six years. Also, her mother is now able to crochet again because the oil helped the arthritis in her hands.

Ten year old from Ohio, USA is walking again!

On the morning of May 26, 2003, I received a phone call from Selessa of

Lyndhurst, Ohio. She was in distress because her daughter who is 10 years old could not walk any more. A few months before the daughter had severe headaches and then became very weak and could not walk. She took her to the doctor and was diagnosed with an auto-immune disease called Guillain-Barre Syndrome.

We sent Delalta Ostrich Oil and she received it on Saturday, May 31, 2003. Selessa began massaging the oil into her daughter and phoned us on Monday, June 2. She was crying with joy. She said on Friday the day before she received the oil, her daughter was so weak that she could not hold a fork to eat, but by Saturday night she was walking. We have had other phone calls from her relatives saying how amazing it was.

I know this seems too good to be true, but it is true. This ten year old was basically lacking life. The energy that is in Delalta Ostrich Oil was conducted into her nerves and then transferred to the muscle which gave her strength and energy. Since Selessa's daughter was so young she responded very quickly because her nerves were not severely damaged.

Multiple Sclerosis and Psoriasis - Brenda from Lethbridge has MS. She started using Delalta Ostrich Oil near the end of December 2002. Since then, Brenda's psoriasis cleared up, she has more energy, her lower back pain went away, and her digestion and elimination improved.

Multiple Sclerosis - Pat from Winfield, BC has MS. After faithfully rubbing oil into his withered leg and body for five hours a day beginning May 5, 2002, his leg outgrew his braces. He now walks without his braces and enjoyed these last three summers golfing. He drove to my place to give me a big thank you hug.

We recently received the following note from Louise of St. Bernard's, Newfoundland Thank you so much for sending the ostrich oil. I had colon cancer. My stomach was so tender I couldn't bear to touch it, since I've been using the oil I have come a long way. My friend had very bad circulation. I gave him a bottle because his feet were black. I wish you could see them now. They are back to his original color and his feet are warming up. "Thank you" and all the best. Regards, Louise. (Louise began using the oil the first week of January, 2005.)



BEFORE: Al Bryant in his wheelchair/scooter suffering from Multiple Sclerosis (MS). Left - Al's brother, Right - Al's care giver.

Pain - Barbara from Camrose wrote us and said she finds this oil very good, as it has helped her and her husband with pain, especially pain in her hip.

Cerebral Palsy - Holly lives near Calgary and her 12 year old daughter has cerebral palsy. She was tiny and had attention deficit disorder. Since using Delalta Ostrich Oil beginning August, 2001, she has grown, and become an honor student, is able to walk up the stairs hanging on to the banister rather than crawling. She is steadily improving.

Also see Jordan's Story on our website

Jordan, who has cerebral palsy is nine years old from Kathryn, Alberta.

ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) - Ivan, from Calgary was diagnosed with ALS. His muscles had degenerated. After several months of rubbing Delalta Ostrich Oil, he became stronger and was able to ride his stationary bike longer, and lift more weights. He steadily improved rather than becoming weaker. He was tested again and the doctor now says that he does not have ALS.

Diabetes - Ernie from Calgary suffered severe pain in his legs because of diabetes. After massaging ostrich oil, his pain was relieved and within a few months his requirement for insulin became less. Delalta Ostrich Oil is rich in electron energy which energizes our glands, including the pancreas.

Psoriasis - Lorne from Kelowna said he has tried everything for the last 18 years and Delalta Ostrich Oil is the only thing that has worked for his psoriasis.

Fibromyalgia - Wendy from Mississauga has found great relief and is able to enjoy life again since using Delalta Ostrich Oil.

We often get the comments "I have much more energy" - "my digestion is better" - "helped with my gout" - "I can breathe better" - "Helped my sinus and migraine headaches" - "I have better circulation, feet are warm." and "I can sleep all night."

Facts About Ostriches

- Ostriches live from 50 to 75 years and have been known to live to over 90 years.
- Ostriches have one of the most powerful immune system of any land animal.
- Ostriches store energy from sunlight in their fat cells, and nutrients from the ground in their liver. This stored energy and nutrients allows the ostrich to live months without eating.
- Ostriches that live near the equator do not store up oil because of the equal sunlight all year. In northern countries (such as Canada), during the summer and fall, ostriches store up the energy from sunlight so that during the winter months when there is less sunlight hours they can live off the stored up energy. We call the oil "Liquid Sunshine" and it becomes a source of energy for us also.

The Value of Delalta Ostrich Oil

Delalta Ostrich Oil has been analyzed, and tests very high in energy. This energy consists of electrons. Dr. Johanna Budwig, a Biochemist and Doctor from Germany is a seven time Nobel Prize nominee, explains that these electrons generate an electrical charge which puts life and energy to our nerves, glands and organs.

These moving electrons also produce an electro-magnetism which is of a negative charge. When this oil is massaged into the body it negatively magnetizes each of the trillions of cells.

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by Tamara Collins

Eight years of Ponderings



Margaret Fradley

This month marks the eighth year that Margaret Fradley has been writing her column, 'Ponderings of the Heart' in the Didsbury Review.

"I remember when I first started," said Fradley. "I had no idea I was going to do it. I just remember looking at a paper in B.C. and thinking there was not one positive thing in the whole paper. I came back home and went to talk to Gene (Hartmann), and told him it would be nice to have one positive blurb in the paper every week. I went home and decided that maybe I should be the one writing them."

Fradley said she really en-

joys writing her columns, and says it is all worth it if it gets through to one person.

"I am sharing who I am with the community," said Fradley. "I am giving them a little bit of me each week."

After eight years of writing Ponderings, Fradley sometimes struggles with what to write about next, and on those special holidays that come each year, Fradley does not want to always sound the same.

"I try to make them relevant," said Fradley. "Almost every month has a special day and I always like to write about them, like in May I

write about Mother's Day, and in June I write about Father's Day."

Fradley loves to write about her two grandchildren, and their childish wisdom.

"I just like to write about things that are close to my heart at that time," said Fradley. "I also like to add humor. This is a great challenge for me at my age, it keeps me thinking ahead."

Fradley has had two books published filled with her Ponderings, the first one is sold out, but the second one can be purchased at the Didsbury Review.

"I try to reach out to people's

pain and struggles, whatever they may be, everyone has them," said Fradley. "I would like to thank the Review and in specific Tamara for always leaving me enough room for my column and basing the size of her editorial around that. I would also like to thank everyone who approaches me on the street to tell me they like my column, I appreciate all the encouragement."

Fradley plans on continuing her column until she no longer can. "It is great writing these columns," said Fradley. "And my grandchildren love them, especially the ones with the bloopers."

Alberta artists celebrate Centennial at the Tea Cozy

Artists from all over Alberta will come together on June 11 and 12 for the Centennial Tea Cozy Art Fair in Didsbury. The Fair will run both Saturday and Sunday from noon to 9 p.m., and the Tea Cozy is going all out for the event.

"One of the hardest things for an artist to do is promote themselves, and make a living from it," said Beverley Pentz Dornbusch, owner of Tea Cozy. "We wanted to give Alberta artists the opportunity to show their work, and at the same

time bring people into town."

Dornbusch and other owner Jane Pentz have been planning this event since before Christmas.

"We had to bring it in front of Town Council, then we got it on the Alberta Centennial website, and we now have the permission to use the Alberta Centennial logo," said Dornbusch. "We are really excited about it."

Presently there are 15 artists confirmed for the Fair, with more coming everyday. Artists

are coming from Edmonton, Calgary, Lacombe, Red Deer, Cremona, Water Valley, Didsbury and Olds.

"We want to get tourists into Didsbury, and also promote other Didsbury businesses," said Dornbusch. "At the Fair we will be handing out a flyer we have about all the different things to do in Didsbury. We want people to see Didsbury as a destination, not just bring them to one store."

The Fair will take place in-

side the Tea Cozy gift shop and studio, and also go upstairs. Verandas and tents will be set up outside.

"This is not a show, it is different from a show because people can buy the products, not just see them," said Dornbusch. "We are trying to make it as festive as possible."

The Fair is free admission, and refreshments will be available. For more information you can visit the website at members.sshaw.ca/teacozyartfair.



Beverley Pentz Dornbusch

Lacrosse Mini Tyke Fun Day



Hunter Nelson

On June 18, eight mini tyke lacrosse teams from Alberta will come to Didsbury to play lacrosse and have some fun.

Teams from Didsbury, Calgary and Red Deer will compete at the Didsbury Arena from 9:45 a.m. until 3:15 p.m. with a break between noon and 1 p.m. when a BBQ will take place.

"This is going to be just like a tournament," said Dave Nelson, Didsbury Lacrosse Mini

Tyke coach. "We will have a break at lunch for our BBQ, where we will be selling hot dogs, hamburgers, and pop."

During the BBQ when the tykes are taking a break an older lacrosse team will take the floor.

"It should be really fun to watch," said Nelson. "These little guys always are, and then you can also watch the bigger guys play at lunch."

During the event a silent

auction will also be taking place.

"This is not a major fundraiser for us at all," said Nelson. "We will probably just break even." This is the first year that Didsbury has had a Mini Tyke Lacrosse team. They play at least one game a week and also practice once a week. There are 12 kids on the team.

"Lacrosse is getting more popular all the time," said Nelson. "It is a very addictive sport,

anyone who starts playing it falls in love with it and they can't get enough. It is a mix between basketball and hockey, but very fast."

Everyone is welcome to come out and watch the tykes play, and join the BBQ. There is no admission to get in, and it will be a great family event.

"It is going to be a great day for families to come out," said Nelson. "It is a really fun game to watch."



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The Walk for ALS: A Person's Journey with ALS

by Amy Sissons

My Grandfather was an extraordinary man. He was in the Lions Club and was a farmer from the Alix, Alberta area. He had a wife, three children and nine grandchildren.

ALS (amyotrophic lateral sclerosis) is also known as Lou Gehrig disease, named after a famous baseball player of the New York Yankees who died from it in 1941. ALS is a degenerative nerve disease. After diagnosis, victims live on average from six months to five years with the disease. About 3000 Canadians currently live with ALS and 2 to 3 Canadians die a day from ALS.

ALS is also a degeneration of the motor cells. That explains why in the fall of 1994, my grandpa's right leg started to become impaired. But no one thought that it was the cause of ALS. The doctors said that he had back problems, and my grandpa even had back surgery. After his surgery, my grandpa went back to his farming and family. But in January of 1995, he discovered that his condition was not getting better, in fact it was getting worse. His right leg began to drag. So when he went to Arizona for vacation with my grandma, he made arrangements to go to the Mayo Clinic. It must have been a tough vacation because my grandpa underwent extensive testing including nerve testing. I was told that the doctor even had tears in his eyes, as he knew my grandpa's fate. My grandpa had ALS.

My grandpa had to begin to use a cane walk. But soon, he was into a scooter. I remember how he would zoom around his farm in his scooter, checking on things. I also remember our last vacation with grandpa. We went to Mexico.

My Grandparent's drove down in their RV, so my grandpa could get more tests done in the USA and because of his poor mobility. My family flew down in our plane and met my grandparents and some friends as we sat on the beach. I know that these were some of the moments that my grandpa treasured, being with his family and friends.

After Mexico, my grandpa got even sicker. He wasn't able to use his scooter. He had to be pushed around in a wheelchair. And the nook in my grandparent's kitchen looked like a hospital. There was a hospital bed and an oxygen tank next to it. My grandpa had to go to the hospital sometimes, but he never wanted to be there for extended periods of time. He preferred to be in his bed in the nook, on his farm, around his fam-

ily

My dad would give my grandpa rides in his airplane so my grandpa could see his farm. We would still eat Christmas dinner with my grandpa too. But it would take all the men in our family to get my

grandpa out of and back into his bed. And soon, my grandpa would almost never get out of the bed.

My grandpa was looking sicker and sicker each day. He looked like a skeleton; he was so very skinny. He could no longer go to the

bathroom, walk, speak and move his arms. He could only drink soup through a straw for his meal. It hurt to swallow. It hurt to move.

I wish my grandpa were here to tell you his story instead of me telling you his story. But on December 6,

1998, with my aunt holding his hand and my grandma by his side, my grandpa passed away. He was gone. He had just turned fifty-nine.

I was only nine when my grandpa passed away. Even though I can't remember a

lot about him, I miss him very much. I wish he was still here to see my cousins and myself grow up. I wish he could meet his last grandchild, my brother. But I'm relieved he didn't need to suffer anymore.

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Cremona Lions Club: Spring Report

by Charlie Bird and
Ken Naidoo**March 25: Regular Meeting: Keoma Visitation:**

Several members of the Keoma Lions were on hand for a return visit. We were somewhat disappointed at not being hosts to a larger contingent, especially since Keoma were truly excellent hosts on our recent visit there. But perhaps we will be able to 'do it' at some future date. Thank you, Keoma!

Tsunami Disaster:

It was noted that Cremona Lions made a donation of \$5000 towards this cause via LCIF.

Blind Golfers Association:

We donated \$50 towards this cause.

April 25 : Regular Meeting:**Annika Memorial:**

A donation of \$500 was made to the Children's Hospital (Palliative Care) in memory of Annika.

Walk for Cancer Research:

Vicki Terrick made an impassioned plea for this cause. Vicki's goal is to raise \$2000 to be eligible to enter the walk on August 12-14. Some \$1350 dollars has already been collected. The Cremona Lions will consider making a donation after committee reports back with its recommendation.

Fund Raising:

Chairman Doug Sherriffs reported that planning had already begun. More information will be forthcoming in the weeks to come.

Cremona Lions Volunteerism Scholarship:

Lion Ken Naidoo reported that he made a presentation to the Grade 12 students on April 26 in this regard. The deadline for entries is June 1. As in previous years, this scholarship is open to any student residing in the Cremona area. Some restrictions apply. Please contact any Cremona Lion for further details and entry forms.

May 9: Regular Meeting:**Walk for Cancer Research:**

The Committee's recommendation of \$250 was accepted and passed. Vicki Terrick will receive a cheque for this amount in due course.

Water Valley Days:

Approval for the use of our Chuckwagon was granted for the first weekend in August.

Community Chest:

With assistance from Community members, Cremona Lions these past many years have spearheaded fundraising for this cause. Lion Dave Street reported on the excellent work done by ALL volunteers. More than \$27,000 has so far been raised, the highest

to date. Disbursement of funds will be done in a few weeks.

George Sherriffs:

Lions expressed concern on learning of his recent illness. Best wishes for a speedy recovery, George.

May 23: Regular Meeting:**Signs:**

Lion Russell Simpson reported that refurbishing and repairs to signs had been attended to.

Habitat for Humanity:

Representative Kathleen (accompanied by Ken and Ruby Wardle) made an excellent presentation in this regard. A single parent with two children has been declared the winner of the house being built in Cremona. Kathleen stated that many conditions have to be satisfied, e.g. the winner has to donate 500 hours of volunteer time. Kathleen then made a request for volunteers from the Lions at work parties towards the construction of the house. As in many projects in the past, the Lions will certainly be involved in this one.

Fund Raising:

Lion Doug continued his update on the Water Valley Rodeo preparations. Things seem to be well in hand.

Incoming Slate of Officers:

The 2005-6 Slate of Officers has been finalized. The new slate will be presented at our June meeting.



DHS Field Hockey champs

On the weekend of May 27 and 28, Didsbury hosted a Field Hockey Tournament with teams from Calgary. Both the senior and junior teams won the Championship Awards. The teams are coached by Mrs. Johnson from Didsbury High School (DHS).

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The Walk for ALS is here to help people like my grandpa. Funds raised through the Walk for ALS go to providing services for the people with ALS and their families, and for funding important research to find a cure for ALS. We can save many people's lives once a cure is found for ALS.

So get involved! Get a team together, register for the event, fundraise and have some fun. If you raise \$100 you get a T-shirt, if you raise \$500 you get an umbrella and if you raise \$1000 you get a sling pack.

Come to the 5km Walk for ALS June 11, 2005 (with your pledges) at the Didsbury Train Station. Registration starts at 9:00 a.m., Start time is 10:00 a.m. Help people with ALS by donating pledges as an individual or by starting a team. See you there! Pledge forms are at Didsbury Drugs.



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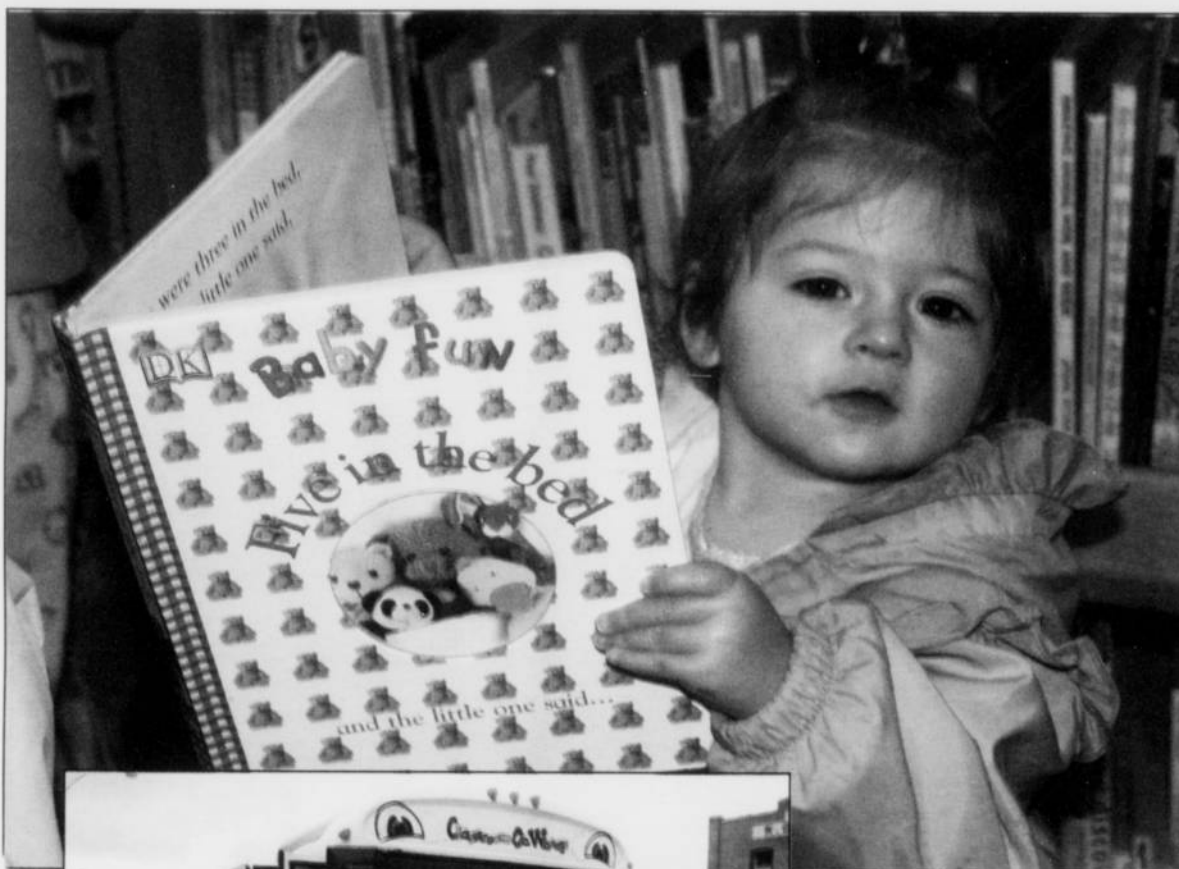
I found this article in the April 17, 1918 Didsbury Pioneer paper. Prohibition in the U.S. gained momentum in 1893 when Ohio gave birth to the Anti-Saloon League and the Women's Temperance Movement. The cause reached its pinnacle in the early 1920's dwindling away to near nothingness by 1925... but this soul was certainly optimistic!!!

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C.O.W

The Classroom on Wheels (COW) came to Didsbury Friday and Anika Keller, age 1, and her mom spent time in the bus looking at different books and trying out some games. The purpose of the COW is to inspire young imaginations, support families and build communities throughout Alberta. The bus comes to Didsbury once a year.

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AFTER: Al Bryant (left) is now walking and spent the last five summers traveling in his motor home and fishing. Clint Cornelius (right) holding Al's former braces.

Alberta man with MS is now walking!!

Al Bryant was born in Lethbridge 63 years ago. He presently lives in Airdrie, Alberta. He has spent the last five summers enjoying the things he used to do before he was diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis. He spent almost six years in a wheelchair with severe pain, chronic fatigue, diabetes and was taking 48 - 49 pills a day. You will enjoy his true story of struggle and victory. See Al Bryant's story on our web-site: www.ostrichoil.ca

In February of 1999 his care giver, Carol McIvor began applying Delalta Ostrich Oil all over his body. That very summer he was walking, working around his yard, traveling and fishing. In November 1999, Al was invited to tell his story at a Multiple Sclerosis Health Symposium in Vancouver. On November 9, 2002 in Edmonton, Carol McIvor was awarded the "Opal Award" for Alberta which is the Care Giver of the year for caring for an MS patient.



BEFORE: Al Bryant in his wheelchair/scooter suffering from Multiple Sclerosis (MS). Left - Al's brother, Right - Al's care giver.

Come and hear Al tell his story!

Dennis Zazelchuk, who has MS is from Leduc and attended our Seminar in Camrose (November, 2003). Dennis suffered with chronic progressive MS and was failing quite quickly. He shuffled his way in with a cane. He started using the oil at that time and then attended a seminar we held in Leduc (March 2004). In Leduc, he walked in without using a cane and I could hardly recognize him. He helped me set up the sound system. Today he is able to mow the lawn and work in his yard. He is a different man, and because of his turn around I was invited to speak at the MS Society monthly meetings in Sherwood Park, St. Albert and Edmonton. Dennis was married the weekend of October 9, 2004. He volunteers at a gym, where in exchange he can use the equipment to work out. He also still runs and operates his own mobile D.J. company called Zaz's Party Tune, which he started in 1990.

Tracey Jewett of Devon, was diagnosed with MS in 1995. Tracey began using Delalta Ostrich Oil last March (2004) after a severe MS attack. She was unable to walk after the attack, and was forced to use a wheelchair. Although very skeptical, she started using the oil and not long after was able to walk without using the wheelchair and her cane which she had been using for three and a half years. Tracey has lost over 60 pounds since March which has increased her mobility making her much more active. Her outlook on life has changed dramatically and now has a boyfriend. Tracey's mother said that the oil saved her daughter's life and thanked me over and over. At the seminar you will see pictures of her change.

Bonnie Erickson, from Devon has severe rheumatoid arthritis in her joints and could not open her hands and also had trouble walking. She began using Delalta Ostrich Oil after our Seminar in Leduc (March 2004). She phoned shortly after she had started using the oil and said "the oil has changed her life." She can now open her hands and use them. Her toes now touch the floor and she can walk much better! Before she used to roll over in bed and wake herself up because of pain in her shoulders. Now, when she wakes up, there is something very different - there is no pain!

David Weich from Hanna suffers from C.M.T. (Charcot-Marie-Tooth, named after three doctors) C.M.T. is Peroneal Muscular Atrophy where David experiences spasms in his legs and arms and the muscles are weakened with atrophy. There is a lack of feeling with a loss of balance and fatigue. David started using Delalta Ostrich Oil the end of February, 2004. After the first week of using the oil, he noticed his acne cleared up. He has less spasms and more feeling in his feet. He can now bend his toes without experiencing severe pain and they seem to be coming back to normal position. David gave a progress report as to how he was improving at the Seminar we held in Hanna on April 15 and 16. He has now informed us that he does not need to use his braces.

Arnold from Abbotsford, formerly of Camrose was scheduled to have cataract surgery. Arnold phoned us on Sunday, May 16, 2004 to let us know that he no longer required the scheduled cataract surgery. The doctor checked his eyes just before operating and told him the surgery was no longer necessary. Arnold puts Delalta Ostrich Oil on his face and around his eyes. The doctor mentioned to Arnold to keep on doing whatever he is doing.

Gladys from Bashaw has chronic progressive MS Gladys suffered immensely with pain and spasms. She started with Delalta Ostrich Oil in December of 2003. It has relieved her pain and spasms and has recently been to her MS doctor who told her that her MS is now in remission. She is a very happy lady!

Vegreville lady with MS began walking without aids and reading again!

Marjorie has had Multiple Sclerosis for 23 years. She started using Delalta Ostrich Oil on March 28, 2003. Marjorie's mother gave her a complete body massage with the oil six times a day. She began walking without aids and her eye sight greatly improved. She read three books in two weeks and had not read in six years. Also, her mother is now able to crochet again because the oil helped the arthritis in her hands.

Ten year old from Ohio, USA is walking again!

On the morning of May 26, 2003, I received a phone call from Selessa of

Lyndhurst, Ohio. She was in distress because her daughter who is 10 years old could not walk any more. A few months before the daughter had severe headaches and then became very weak and could not walk. She took her to the doctor and was diagnosed with an auto-immune disease called Guillain-Barré Syndrome.

We sent Delalta Ostrich Oil and she received it on Saturday, May 31, 2003. Selessa began massaging the oil into her daughter and phoned us on Monday, June 2. She was crying with joy. She said on Friday the day before she received the oil, her daughter was so weak that she could not hold a fork to eat, but by Saturday night she was walking. We have had other phone calls from her relatives saying how amazing it was.

I know this seems too good to be true, but it is true. This ten year old was basically lacking life. The energy that is in Delalta Ostrich Oil was conducted into her nerves and then transferred to the muscle which gave her strength and energy. Since Selessa's daughter was so young she responded very quickly because her nerves were not severely damaged.

Multiple Sclerosis and Psoriasis - Brenda from Lethbridge has MS. She started using Delalta Ostrich Oil near the end of December 2002. Since then, Brenda's psoriasis cleared up, she has more energy, her lower back pain went away, and her digestion and elimination improved.

Multiple Sclerosis - Pat from Winfield, BC has MS. After faithfully rubbing oil into his withered leg and body for five hours a day beginning May 5, 2002, his leg outgrew his braces. He now walks without his braces and enjoyed these last three summers golfing. He drove to my place to give me a big thank you hug.

We recently received the following note from Louise of St. Bernard's, Newfoundland Thank you so much for sending the ostrich oil. I had colon cancer. My stomach was so tender I couldn't bear to touch it, since I've been using the oil I have come a long way. My friend had very bad circulation. I gave him a bottle because his feet were black. I wish you could see them now. They are back to his original color and his feet are warming up. "Thank you" and all the best. Regards, Louise. (Louise began using the oil the first week of January, 2005.)

Facts About Ostriches

- Ostriches live from 50 to 75 years and have been known to live to over 90 years.
- Ostriches have one of the most powerful immune system of any land animal.
- Ostriches store energy from sunlight in their fat cells, and nutrients from the ground in their liver. This stored energy and nutrients allows the ostrich to live months without eating.
- Ostriches that live near the equator do not store up oil because of the equal sunlight all year. In northern countries (such as Canada), during the summer and fall, ostriches store up the energy from sunlight so that during the winter months when there is less sunlight hours they can live off the stored up energy. We call the oil "Liquid Sunshine" and it becomes a source of energy for us also.

The Value of Delalta Ostrich Oil

Delalta Ostrich Oil has been analyzed, and tests very high in energy. This energy consists of electrons. Dr. Johanna Budwig, a Biochemist and Doctor from Germany is a seven time Nobel Prize nominee, explains that these electrons generate an electrical charge which puts life and energy to our nerves, glands and organs.

These moving electrons also produce an electro-magnetism which is of a negative charge. When this oil is massaged into the body it negatively magnetizes each of the trillions of cells.

This magnetism of cells does two vital functions:

- 1) Attracts the opposite positive charged elements - such as oxygen, protein, and minerals into our cells. These elements are necessary for the health of our cells.
- 2) Repels the same negatively charged cells that are close to it. Cells of the similar electro-magnetic charge repel each other which prevents cells from pressing together causing lumps or even deformity. We have had a number of people say that their deformed fingers have straightened after rubbing with this electron rich oil. The electrons cause the cells to change their shape and repel each other. My wife Dianne, had a lump on her breast and after using the oil, the lump disappeared. This was one of the reasons we began testing our ostrich oil to find out its value.

Thursday Night and Friday Morning

Clint will demonstrate the electricity in Delalta Ostrich Oil and explain that the source of this electricity is sunlight.

He will teach how this electricity effects our nerves, muscles, glands, organs and cell division.

He will also tell us what effect this electricity could have on:

- Brain and Neurological problems
- Heart and Blood Circulation
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Transfats - Pharmaceutical Companies are genetically altering the photosynthesis of canola and sunflower plants to produce oil without transfats. What effect could this have on our health in the future? Don't miss this important topic.

Clint Cornelius will be explaining the value of this "Liquid Sunshine"

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Cremona Gold and Silver Update

by Lita Reid

President Alan Reid opened the June 2nd meeting of the Cremona Gold and Silver by thanking the ladies for the usual delicious Pot Luck Supper. Secretary Lita Reid read a humorous article on "Classmates", before reading the minutes of the April 8th meeting.

Alan summarized his ideas of what should be written on the brass plaque to be hung in the Woodmen's Room of the museum, all present were in favour. He will proceed to order the plaque. Doug Rodgers, Marie Olson and Elma Bird helped Alan arrange articles in the museum. Dawn Boggs has donated a quilt to the museum as well.

Marie informed us that our finances are stable.

Travel: Lila Robertson announced she has booked a bus for a trip to the Calgary Zoo on June 14th, leaving Cremona at 9:30 AM. Please phone her at 946 5227 or Romelda at 956 5216 to book your seat. Gwen Hatton says Bridge is continuing each week with two or three tables. Marie introduced a number of items of correspondence: the Minister for Seniors has sent out a pamphlet describing the extra aid available for dental, eye, or property tax bills. For more info, phone free at 1 800 642 3853.

There will be a special performance at Edmonton's Northlands Park on July 24th to celebrate the 60th Anniversary of the end of the Second World War. Any veterans may apply for free tickets before June 14th, after which the general public may apply.

Please note that an enthusiastic group of young fiddlers will be performing at our Centre on June 17th, starting at 6 PM with a Pot Luck Supper they are providing. Do plan to attend, this is open to any age, bring a friend. Please phone Marie at 337 2371 so approximate attendance can be gauged.

The new sign placed at the east end of Cremona is very nice.

Darlene Parker asked for permission to hold an Art Show in our Centre on July first. Moved by Donna Dole, seconded by Dorothy Montgomery that permission be granted - Carried. The usual volunteers will be on hand that day to serve coffee and doughnuts.

We are very happy to have Peggy Rodgers back with us, having recovered from another surgery. Two cards were circulated for members to sign for Bill Butler, who is in Foothills Hospital and Pearl Blain who had an unfortunate fall breaking her nose.

To aid our faithful janitor, Alan has suggested that only one centre line of tables be left in place after functions, and the chairs should be put onto the tables before leaving the building.

We have lent our "Pioneer Flag" to Carstairs Seniors for "Seniors Week" as they are planning a number of functions. A schedule has been posted for anyone interested to peruse. Alan reminded all present that old machinery is requested to be viewed July first in the area of the Arena.

Our next meeting will be held after the Pot Luck Supper on September first.

Our ball, dart board game will be given to the Youth Centre - motion by Doug Rodgers/Elma Bird - Carried.

Doug Rodgers and Marie Olson had spent some time trying to get Telus or Bell to fix our eavestrough that was torn down on the north-east edge of our roof. Vair has done a good repair job. Thank you Vair!

Darlene Parker requested suggestions for future program speakers for coming months. She will book a speaker for our October 6th meeting. There is a Divine Dance Studio teacher wishing to hold classes in our Centre every second Tuesday when the Cremona School is closed for the summer. Dot Odell moved seconded by Vair Reid that we allow the Youth to hold their classes. Carried.

Vair moved the meeting adjourn.

by Lita Reid

The May 25th meeting of the Jackson Women's Institute was held at the home of our newest member Mary Thomson. Mary chose "When It's Springtime In The Rockies" for us to sing after which we repeated the Mary Stewart Collect.

Our Roll Call "Where was your mother born and what year?" was answered by 11 members and one guest Phyllis Bricker who delighted us by deciding to become a member of Jackson W.I. since Westcott branch has retired. One mom was born in Big Prairie district as well as grandmother! Another in the Falkland Islands, coming to Canada at age two; another was born in Bristol England arriving in Canada at age three; two were born in Didsbury Hospital. Others were from Sandnes, Norway, Headingly and Souris Manitoba, another Kilbourn Wisconsin, coming to Canada at 12

years old. Another mom was born in Belfast Ireland, another in Bassano, one came from a Scottish settlement in Quebec where she spoke Gaelic until she went to school. Birth dates ranged from 1889 to 1934.

President Ev. informed us that laughter is a great health benefit and relaxes your blood vessels, so she proceeded to read us three humorous jokes from the Reader's Digest. Ev. will speak to the Nurse Practitioner Resolution at the June 7th to 9th Provincial Constituency Conference held at Camrose. She has learned that 120 Nurse Practitioners have been trained but 100 do not have jobs in that field because communities can not afford to pay them. There's a dire need for medical help in rural areas. Cremona is most fortunate to have a nurse every Tuesday A.M.

Lita has contacted the office of Myron Thompson to let them know that the AMA informed us that a policy was adopted as early as 1959 for all Canadian rail lines to have reflective

tape on the sides of their rail cars. However the date for other countries railroads to adopt the policy will not be due until September, and then they have from seven to nine years to comply with the law.

Marie Scott showed us the centrepiece she plans to send to the competition at the Conference, including an old school bell, small dishes and early books plus related items. Jo. Hutchinson has kindly offered to take the handicraft articles to Camrose on May 29th. A hearty thank you goes to Jo.

For her Agricultural and Canadian Industry Topic, Lita chose to read an article on the Integrated Manure Utilization System which has been built at Hairy Hill Alberta. This system has been co-developed by Highmark Renewables and Alberta Research Council near Vegreville. The 7.9 million dollar plant opened May the sixth and utilizes the wastes from feedlot cattle into electricity, bio based fertilizer, fibre and reusable water.

For her "Bit of Fun" Marie Olson handed out sealed envelopes to everyone present. We were then asked to open them - only to find them empty. Marie then presented a letter opener to Marie Scott who had the most difficult time to open her envelope.

Mary Thomson has visited Mary Jane Davies and is happy to report that Mary Jane has gained weight, is planting garden, and is planning a fishing trip with her husband. We are so thankful that her health has improved immensely.

Elma Bird explained and displayed the hats she has sprayed blue which will be worn at the Provincial Conference.

Pres. Ev. reminded us that our next meeting will be held at the Spangenberg Gardens south of Madden on June 22nd at 1:30 PM. We welcome visitors interested to learn more about W.I. Do phone Ev. at 337 2052 or Dorit at 337 2042 for further information.

Prairie Partners Multi 4H Club: Alive and Kickin'

by Ryan Hunter

Nearing the end of the year the month of May kept all of our members extremely busy. May was full of many achievement days for the members of our 4H club. The Horse members had their achievement day at the horse show that took place on May 14th in the Olds Pavilion. The members with breeding projects attended the Mountain View District Heifer Show on the 21st. We would like to thank all the parents who added delightful dishes to our pot luck dinner.

The members which choose to take a steer were saddened and awarded at the 4H Steer Show and Sale that was on May the 25th. A special Thank you goes out to all the buyers that bid on 4H steers. Some members of our club are attending 4H on Parade in Calgary, either showing horse projects, beef projects and to attend Multi Judging.

To wrap up the year Prairie Partners invites all 4H supporters to attend our Awards Show and Banquet. The Awards Show and Banquet will take place June 30th at Lone Pine Hall. Until next month, keep on supporting 4H!

What you need to know about hantavirus



Hantavirus is a potentially deadly infection spread by deer mice.

You can reduce your risk of infection by taking some simple precautions when disposing of mice or their droppings, urine, or nesting material:

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Focus on the Family



QUESTION: My son has recently begun running around with some tough kids who have introduced him to marijuana. He doesn't deny what he is doing because he says it is harmless. Can you give me the facts?

DR. DOBSON: Your son has been given some very bad information that is being passed around by those who are promoting the legalization of marijuana. It is a lie. Dr. Harold Voth, the senior psychiatrist for the Menninger Foundation in Topeka, Kan., has set the record straight.

He said, first, that five marijuana cigarettes have the same cancer-causing capacity as 112 conventional cigarettes. Second, the part of the brain that allows a person to focus, concentrate, create, learn and conceptualize at an advanced level is still growing during the teenage years. Continuous use of marijuana over a period of time will retard the normal growth of those brain cells.

Third, a study conducted at Columbia University revealed that female marijuana smokers suffer a sharp increase in damage to DNA, the genetic code. It was also found that reproductive eggs are especially vulnerable to damage by marijuana. Fourth, a second Columbia University study found that people who smoked a single marijuana cigarette every other day for one year had a white-blood-cell count that was 39 percent lower than normal, thus damaging the immune system and making the user far more susceptible to infection and sickness. Smoking marijuana is a dangerous hobby.

I doubt if your son will be satisfied with this answer, even though you should share it with him. His motivation is probably related more to peer pressure than to his belief in the harmlessness of marijuana. The danger is that he will "graduate" from pot to something harder and more addictive. If I were you, I would bring all my energies to bear on getting my son away from the gang he is now running with, even if it required us to move. He is apparently at a critical juncture in his life.

QUESTION: I just found out that I'm pregnant. When the doctor told me, he warned me not to drink anything with alcohol in it until the child is born. I'm used to having a few beers after work and I like a cocktail several times a week. Is it really necessary for me to give up all alcohol until my baby arrives?

DR. DOBSON: I urge you to heed the advice of your physician. That precious baby inside of you could be severely damaged if you continue to drink in the next few months. Your child could have what is known as "fetal alcohol syndrome," which can cause heart anomalies, central nervous system dysfunction, head and facial abnormalities and lifelong behavior problems.

Fetal alcohol syndrome is also thought to be the leading cause of mental retardation. It is a terrible thing to inflict on a child. Babies can be harmed by alcohol in the blood of the mother at any time throughout gestation, but they are especially vulnerable during the first trimester. That's why you should not drink during the remaining months of your pregnancy, but by all means, don't swallow a drop of alcohol right now.

You may remember the Old Testament story of Samson, who terrorized his enemies, the Philistines. Before he was born, an angel told his mother that her child was destined for greatness, and that she must not weaken him by imbibing strong drink while she was pregnant. Medical science has now verified the wisdom of that advice. That's why a similar warning to pregnant women is posted by law wherever liquor, beer or wine is sold.

For you, and for all pregnant women and those who anticipate becoming pregnant -- don't take chances with your babies' future. There is no level of alcohol that is known to be safe. Abstain for the entire nine months. You and your baby will be glad you did.

Didsbury High School Jazz Ensemble



The Didsbury High School Jazz Ensemble has been invited to perform at the Alberta Colleges and Institutes Faculties Association annual conference in Canmore on Tuesday, May 31. The group received an enthusiastic response for their performance, which initially was to provide a little background music.

However, this soon progressed to a full-fledged jazz concert. After two standing ovations and a generous stipend from the conference (which goes into the Jazz Ensemble account to help defray travel and festival costs) the students realized the satisfaction of success after their many hours of practice which occurs entirely outside regular school hours.

This talented Ensemble, which also performed well at the prestigious Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival in

Moscow, Idaho and at the 6th Annual Whistler Music Festival, will give the town of Didsbury an opportunity to hear them perform at All That Jazz!, a concert that will also introduce the Grade Nine Jazz Band. This concert will take place Thursday, June 9 at the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome and admission is free - so come out to hear these talented musicians who have proven to be excellent ambassadors of the Town of Didsbury.

On Wednesday, June 8, the Grade Nine and Senior Concert Bands will present their Spring Concert which is traditionally their opportunity to show their appreciation for the support from the Didsbury community during the preceding year. Once again, admission is free and refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome!

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PART-TIME ADMINISTRATIVE Support. Chinook's Edge School Division No. 73 invites applicants for a part-time Administrative Support position at Midway School (Grades 1-6), outside of Didsbury, effective the 2005-2006 school year. The successful candidate will have excellent computer skills in a variety of programs, including Microsoft Office, Simply Accounting, Excel, and Student Information and Registration System (SIRS). Duties will also include typing, answering telephone inquiries, monitoring student records and database, managing attendance and public relations. Preference will be given to candidates who possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills. The position is two days per week or four half days. Resume, complete with the names and telephone numbers of three current work related references, should be forwarded to: Pat Christensen, Vice-Principal; Midway School; Box 9, Site 2, R.R. 2; Didsbury, Ab. T0M 0W0. Telephone: (403) 337-2888. Fax: (403) 337-2888. For information on Chinook's Edge School Division No. 73, please check our website (www.chinooksedge.ab.ca). Applications will be accepted until 12:00 noon, Friday, June 10, 2005. The successful applicant will be required to provide a criminal record check. While we thank all applicants for their interest, only those individuals selected for interviews will be contacted. Resumes of individuals not granted an interview will not be kept on file.

10-11

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10-21

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10-21

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Ryan Michael Pothier

Ryan was suddenly taken from us on June 4, 2005. He is now in the loving arms of his mother, Linda Pothier, who left such a short time ago. Standing with his hands

on her shoulders, is her father, Alfred Dietrich.

He is survived by his loving father, Brian Pothier, his sisters, Tammy, Angela, and Kim; his niece, Kayla; his grandmothers, Doris Dietrich, and Phyllis Graham; His aunts and uncles, Myrna McCully, Gail Dietrich, Lyle (Sandy) Dietrich, Steve (Sharon) Dietrich, Marie (Frank) Harris, Ann (Alan) Riddle, Dan (Lorie) Dietrich and their families; as well as several other relatives and friends.

Ryan was born in Drumheller on August 2, 1977. His family moved to Didsbury when

he was 2 years old. He attended school in Didsbury. He worked in the oilfields all over Alberta and British Columbia.

Ryan was always entertaining his friends and family with his very dry sense of humor, which we all enjoyed. He spent several hours at his computer mastering the art of poker.

He was well on his way to achieving his goal of qualifying for the world poker tournament in Las Vegas. When Ryan had the opportunity to ride a bull he jumped at the chance just to say he did. He stayed on for 4-5 seconds with the professional

riders yelling for him to let go. Ryan said, "It was safer on top than on the ground" He will be greatly missed and fondly remembered.

Prayers will be held Wednesday June 8, 2005 at St. Anthony's Church in Didsbury at 7:00 p.m. Funeral services will be Thursday June 9, 2005 at St. Stephens Church in Olds at 11:00 a.m. Mountain View Funeral Chapel, Didsbury entrusted with arrangements.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Westglen School Special Projects, Bag 200, Didsbury, TOM OWO.

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COMMUNITY SERVICES AND EVENTS



DIDSBURY

Chamber Spring BBQ!

June 9th starting at 6 p.m. at the Train Station. Please RSVP 335-3265. Bring your own lawn chair.

Salute to Seniors Centennial Celebration Garden Party

Hosted by Didsbury & District Senior Support Services Thursday, June 9th from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the MP Room at the Memorial Complex. Free admission. Kerby Centre men and ladies fashion show, museum displays, door prizes, refreshments.

Registration Night

The Town of Didsbury is hosting a registration night for our Summer Fun Day Camp Program on June 16, 2005 from 5-7:30 p.m. at the Didsbury Aquatic Centre. Register early and receive \$10 off week. For more info call KAbé at 335-7354.

Westcott Schools-Out Picnic

Monday June 27/05 5:30 p.m. Westcott Hall. Games, supper. More info call Ora Findlay 335-9689 or Terry Luft 335-4449.

DIDSBURY

Community Meeting

The Town of Didsbury FCSS is hosting a community meeting regarding the possibility of implementing a before/after school care Program in Didsbury on June 15, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. in Ross Ford Elementary School Conference Room. For more info call Nicole at 335-3391.

Didsbury R/C Fun Flyers 14th Annual Canada Fun Fly

Thursday July 1 at airfield northwest of Didsbury 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m. One block north of Westglen school. Guest flyers will be flying.

Midway Playschool Registration and general meeting

Monday June 13th at 7 p.m. at the Midway Community School. For more info please call Terri at 337-0151.

Didsbury & District Community Bus Trip

Cash Casino on Wednesday, June 22. Bus leaves Complex at 10:00 a.m. Cost \$10.00. Call Bea 335-3058 or Gen 335-3449.

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Didsbury & District Community Bus Trip

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Mountainview Christian Women's Breakfast

June 14, 2005 from 9:30 - 11:30 in Didsbury Redeemer Lutheran Church. \$5.00 per person. Topic: Bloom Where You Are Planted. For reservations call Vicki 335-3500 or Margie 335-3765.

ONGOING EVENTS

SPECIAL FAMILIES RESOURCE ASSOCIATION

Support for families/caregivers of special needs children. Meetings now held on the 3rd Thurs. of every month in the Didsbury Hospital in the Educational Conference Room at 7 p.m. For more information contact Cindy at 335-4123.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Didsbury Chamber of Commerce meets the 2nd Thursday each month. For more info please call 335-3265.

DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Rosemary 335-2835.

ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every month at the Town Office. For info call the Town Office 335-3391.

BEAVER'S

Beaver's Tues. 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

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TIME OUT

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KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 335-4281.

HOME HELP ASSOCIATION
The Didsbury & District Senior Support Services co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 335-4391.

SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway meets the 4th Monday of every month at 8 p.m. at Evergreen Centre in Olds. All welcome. Call 556-2401 or 337-2037 for more information.

CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular Bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall.

LEARNING DISABILITIES

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GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS

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DIDSBURY PRESCHOOL

is now accepting registrations for 2005-2006 school year. This non-profit organization offers educational and social programming for children 3 to 5 years old. For information or to register your child, please call: Cherrie 335-8818 or 335-8039.

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INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday mornings of each month 10 a.m. Olds Scout Hall. Phone 556-3807 for information.

DIDSBURY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC

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OLDS

MEETING

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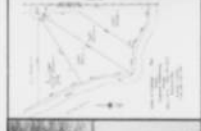
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